

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of: Sidney Shaw White, Jr. et al.

Filed: February 7, 2001

For: ABRASION RESISTANT COATING COMPOSITION, PROCESS FOR MAKING

SUCH COATING COMPOSITION AND ARTICLES COATED THEREWITH

Serial No.: 09/778,432

Group Art Unit: 1712

Examiner: ZIMMER, MARC S.

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Commissioner For Patents PO Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 23, 2003

This paper is submitted in response to the office action dated September 23, 2003. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.

A request for a three-month extension of time and requisite fee are included herewith. If the request is missing, consider this to be a request for same. If the fee is missing, the Director is authorized to deduct the fee from deposit account 10-1205.